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EXAMINING GROUP 3612
PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN THE APPLICATION OF:

MICHAEL J. BAUHOFF

CASE NO.: AD6791USNA **APPLICATION NO.: 10/085803**

CONFIRMATION NO.: 8026 **GROUP ART UNIT: 3612**

EXAMINER: LORI L. COLETTA **FILED: FEBRUARY 27, 2002**

FOR: INTEGRAL STRUCTURES OF METAL AND PLASTIC

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Introductory Comments

This is submitted in response to the Office Action dated March 23, 2004. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and submit the following in support thereof. Please amend the application as follows:

Sir: